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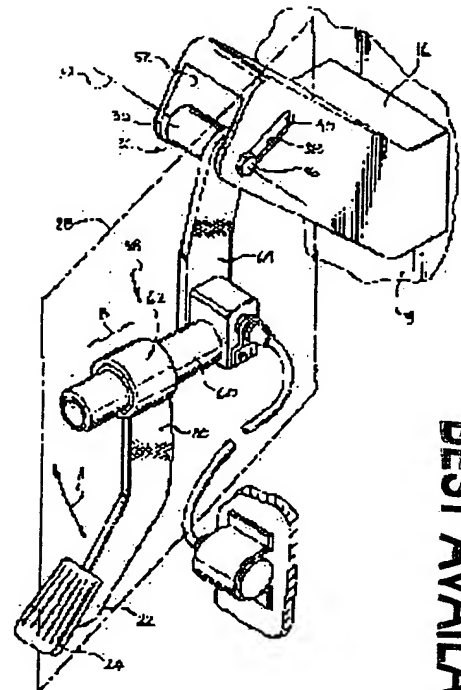
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54) FITTING ASSEMBLY FOR ADJUSTABLE PEDAL

57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To obtain the pedal assembly which is so designed that a pedal is able to rotate between a stop and an in-use position while a vehicle is in normal operation and leaves the driver of the vehicle if the vehicle collides.

SOLUTION: A bracket 16 is so adapted that it is fitted to the structure 18 of a vehicle like a fireproof wall and the dashboard assembly of the vehicle. A pedal arm 20 extends downward from the bracket 16 to a terminal 22 where a pedal pad 24 is supported. A support mechanism 6 connects the pedal arm 20 and bracket 16 to each other, allows the pedal arm 20 to rotate to and away from the bracket 16 on an operation surface 28 in normal operation, puts the pedal arm 20 away from the operation surface 28 according to a specific force between the pedal arm 20 and bracket 16.



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